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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MILI, MARR, CA, US

SUBJ: SEVERANCE PAY FOR CANADIAN WORKERS AT GOOSE BAY

REF: STATE 171407

1. EMBASSY HAS DISCUSSED AND GIVEN COPY OF REFTEL TO APPROPRIATE EXTAFI OFFICIALS. DIRECTOR OF DEFENSE RELATIONS DIVISION, EXTAFI, C.J. MARSHALL HAS WRITTEN LETTER TO EMBASSY REGARDING GOC POSITION ON PROPOSAL MADE BY MP WILLIAM ROMPKEY. TEXT OF LETTER RECEIVED IS AS FOLLOWS:

2. BEGIN TEXT: I AM WRITING YOU WITH REFERENCE TO THE COPY OF STATE DEPARTMENT TELEGRAM NO. MRN 171407 YOU FORWARDED TO US CONCERNING SEVERANCE PAY FOR UNITED STATES AIR FORCE EMPLOYEES AT GOOSE BAY. AFTER CONSULTATIONS WITH THE POLICY AND LEGISLATION DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMMISSION, IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT IT WOULD BE COMPLETELY LEGAL (AND IN FACT DESIRABLE) FOR THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE TO WITHHOLD SEVERANCE PAY, FOR A PERIOD OF THIRY-TWO WEEKS, TO THOSE GOOSE BAY EMPLOYEES WHO ARE TERMINATING EMPLOYMENT.

3. WE WOULD THEREFORE BE GRATEFUL IF SYMPATHETIC CONSIDERATION COULD BE GIVEN TO THIS REQUEST. END TEXT.

4. COMMENT: WHILE ON SURFACE EMBASSY WOULD ENCOURAGE UNCLASSIFIED

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USAF TO TRY TO ACCOMMODATE GOOSE BAY EMPLOYEES, USAF WILL

HAVE TO CONSIDER IMPACT SUCH ACTION MIGHT HAVE FOR OTHER
EMPLOYEES WHO HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED SEVERANCE PAY.
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